

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**

NEW HOPE FAMILY SERVICES, INC.,
a New York nonprofit corporation,

Plaintiff,

vs.

SHEILA J. POOLE, in her official capacity
as the Acting Commissioner for the Office of
Children and Family Services for the State
of New York,

Defendant.

5:18-cv-1419 (MAD/TWD)

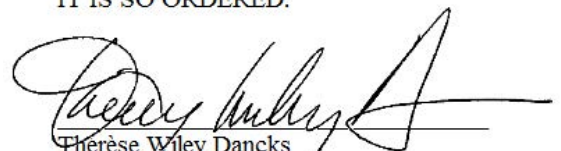
**ORDER
STAYING DISCOVERY AND
SETTING A SUMMARY
JUDGMENT BRIEFING
SCHEDULE**

This matter is before the Court on the parties' Stipulated Motion to Stay Discovery and to Set a Summary Judgment Briefing Schedule. The Court, having reviewed the motion and being otherwise sufficiently advised, orders as follows:

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED

1. The parties' stipulated Motion to Stay Discovery is GRANTED.
2. The Court waives the requirement for pre-motion letters and a pre-motion conference in connection with motions for summary judgment.
3. Moving Briefs in Support of Motions for Summary Judgment shall be filed on or before September 24, 2021.
4. Briefs in Opposition to Motions for Summary Judgment shall be filed on or before November 12, 2021.
5. Reply briefs shall be filed on or before December 17, 2021.

IT IS SO ORDERED:


Therèse Wiley Dancks
U.S. Magistrate Judge

Dated: 7/7/2021